

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please cancel claims 7 -14, without prejudice.

- 1           1.       (Currently Amended) A liquid feed fuel cell system comprising:
- 2           (A)       a direct oxidation fuel cell including a membrane electrode assembly;
- 3           (B)       a source of liquid fuel; and
- 4           (C)       a fuel container coupled with said fuel cell, including:
- 5                       (i)       a first inner bladder being substantially fully ex-
- 6                       panded upon being filled with liquid fuel, and having a fuel outlet conduit
- 7                       to supply liquid fuel to said direct oxidation fuel cell; and
- 8                       (ii)       a second inner bladder for receiving effluent from
- 9                       said fuel cell through an effluent inlet leading from said fuel cell into said
- 10                      fuel container, said second inner bladder being disposed directly adjacent
- 11                      to said first inner bladder such that as effluent is received from the fuel
- 12                      cell, the second inner bladder expands displacing fuel from said first inner
- 13                      bladder to deliver fuel to said fuel cell.
- 1           2.       (Original)     The liquid feed fuel cell system as defined in claim 1
- 2           wherein said second inner bladder is coupled to an anode aspect of said fuel cell.
- 1           3.       (Original)     The liquid feed fuel cell system as defined in claim 1
- 2           wherein said second inner bladder is coupled to a cathode aspect of said fuel cell.
- 1           4.       (Original)     The liquid feed fuel cell system as defined in claim 1, fur-
- 2           ther comprising at least one force applying instrument which acts upon said first

3 inner bladder such that fuel contained in said first inner bladder is expressed  
4 through said outlet conduit toward said fuel cell.

1 5. (Original) The liquid feed fuel cell system in claim 1, further compris-  
2 ing at least one of a pump and a valve means associated with said fuel outlet con-  
3 duit to control the delivery of fuel to said fuel cell.

1 6. (Original) The liquid feed fuel cell system as defined in claim 1, fur-  
2 ther comprising at least one of a pump and a valve means associated with said ef-  
3 fluent inlet conduit to control the removal of effluent from said fuel cell.

1 7. – 14. Cancelled